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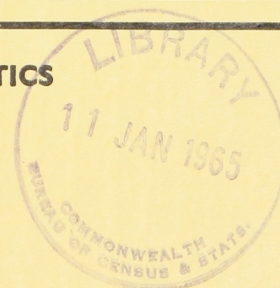
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EXPLANATORY NOTES

Most of the tables in this publication have been prepared entirely on a monthly basis to provide easy comparison of data. With a few exceptions, annual and quarterly figures are expressed as Monthly Averages, and these can be converted to actual totals by multiplying by 12 and 3 respectively.

For example (from page 5):

Marriages in year 1963 -

Monthly average	609
Therefore annual total = $12 \times 609 =$	7,308
(Actual figure is 7,302)	

Births in December quarter 1963 -

Monthly average	1,904
Therefore quarterly total = $3 \times 1,904 =$	5,712
(Actual figure is 5,712)	

The statistics as published can be adapted to give information in a number of different forms. For instance -

- (1) Details can be obtained for calendar or financial years as required by addition of figures for the four relevant quarters.
- (2) Progress total for the year to date can be obtained by adding totals of quarters and months.

e.g. If May figures are the latest published, total for the 5 months to May = $3 \times$ monthly average of March quarter + April and May.

This procedure can be used to calculate corresponding figures for the same period of the previous two years or similar information on a financial year basis.

Details of production of pages 12 - 15 are for selected items only. Particulars for several commodities of considerable importance in this State have been withheld because publication would reveal confidential information.

ABBREVIATIONS USED

Throughout this bulletin the following symbols have been used -

n.a.	Not collected, not available for publication, or not applicable.
..	Nil (or less than 0.5).
p	Preliminary figures.
r	Revised since previous issue.
—	Break in continuity of series (where drawn across a column between two consecutive figures).

A blank space in a column of figures means the figure concerned is not yet available.

When the symbol "p" or "r" is placed in the column headed "Period" (as for example on page 17) it refers to all figures on that particular line.

POPULATION

Date	Whole State (a)			Metropolitan Area (b)	
	Males	Females	Persons	Persons	% of State
1954 30th June (Census)	403,903	393,191	797,094	483,508	60.66
31st Dec.	409,733	398,517	808,250	491,300	60.79
1955 30th June	415,338	404,229	819,567	499,100	60.90
31st Dec.	423,042	411,619	834,661	508,900	60.97
1956 30th June	430,712	417,845	848,557	517,900	61.03
31st Dec.	436,807	425,145	861,952	526,400	61.07
1957 30th June	442,909	430,257	873,166	533,600	61.11
31st Dec.	448,411	437,841	886,252	541,300	61.08
1958 30th June	453,614	443,189	896,803	547,400	61.04
31st Dec.	458,401	449,652	908,053	554,300	61.04
1959 30th June	464,787	456,111	920,898	562,300	61.06
31st Dec.	471,868	462,629	934,497	570,300	61.03
1960 31st Mar.	474,525	465,122	939,647	573,300	61.01
30th June	477,609	467,711	945,320	576,600	61.00
30th Sept.	480,049	469,346	949,395	578,300	60.91
31st Dec.	483,802	473,220	957,022	582,100	60.82
1961 31st Mar.	488,255	476,583	964,838	586,000	60.74
30th June (Census)	490,225	479,115	969,340	587,957	60.66
30th Sept.	493,075	481,863	974,938	590,500	60.57
31st Dec.	495,778	484,977	980,755	591,700	60.33
1962 31st Mar.	498,023	487,303	985,326	593,100	60.19
30th June	499,821	489,568	989,389	593,500	59.99
30th Sept.	501,451	491,572	993,023	594,100	59.83
31st Dec.	504,571	495,122	999,693	596,800	59.70
1963 31st Mar.	506,973	497,475	1,004,448	597,900	59.53
30th June	509,210	499,784	1,008,994	600,200	59.49
30th Sept.	510,920	501,756	1,012,676	600,800	59.33
31st Dec.	514,458	505,716	1,020,174	603,900	59.20
1964 31st Mar.	518,291	509,087	1,027,378	606,600	59.04
30th June	520,440	511,179	1,031,619	607,800	58.92

(a) Post censal estimates of State population, derived by adding to Census population natural increase and recorded net migration, are revised after publication of the next Census results.

(b) Post censal estimates for the Metropolitan Area are based on the State estimates, distributed principally according to the net increase in the number of dwellings in the various local government areas. These estimates are also revised after publication of Census results.

Period	Births (a)			Deaths (a)		Marriages (a)	
	Males	Females	Total	Infant (b)	Total		
<u>MONTHLY AVERAGES</u>							
Year:	1959	861	837	1,698	35	662	551
	1960	897	850	1,747	34	650	551
	1961	950(c)	917(c)	1,867(c)	37	651	567
	1962	917	863	1,780	34	686	585
	1963	917	863	1,780	33	683	609
<u>Quarter:</u>							
Dec.	1961	862	823	1,685	34	589	603
Mar.	1962	882	854	1,736	32	584	581
June		936	882	1,818	36	647	617
Sept.		882	829	1,711	34	758	526
Dec.		969	887	1,856	35	754	617
Mar.	1963	872	842	1,714	34	564	640
June		893	848	1,741	33	631	625
Sept.		908	856	1,764	35	830	545
Dec.		996	908	1,904	31	708	625
Mar.	1964	853	794	1,647	29	615	685
June		875	814	1,689	32	734	637
Sept.		979	880	1,859	39	866	575
<u>MONTHLY TOTALS</u>							
Sept.	1962				33	658	698
Oct.					35	789	610
Nov.			Not		37	766	498
Sept.	1963		Available		26	705	595
Oct.					37	745	631
Nov.					29	674	636
Sept.	1964				34	795	677
Oct.					38	843	819
Nov.					23	650	581

(a) Registrations recorded during the period. Changes from quarter to quarter in the number of registrations, particularly of births, do not necessarily reflect changes in the number of occurrences.

(b) Under 1 year of age.

(c) The higher figures for 1961 are partly due to changes in administrative procedures during 1960.

EMPLOYMENT & BASIC WAGE

Month	Employment (a)							Basic Wage, Adelaide (b)	
	Total	Government	Private	Principal Industrial Groups					
				Manu- factur- ing	Building & Construc- tion	Trans- port, Storage, Communi- cation	Com- merce and Finance		
	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	s.	d.
MALES									
June 1960	206.4	59.9	146.5	84.4	22.5	23.9	39.9	271	0
1961	207.5	63.2	144.3	80.8	24.2	24.0	40.6	271	0
1962	211.2	64.1	147.1	85.4	23.8	23.0	40.4	283	0
1963	219.6	66.1	153.5	89.7	24.1	23.2	42.6	283	0
1964	229.5	67.5	162.0	94.7	25.5	23.5	44.1	303	0
July 1962	212.5	64.2	148.3	85.8	24.4	23.5	40.3	283	0
Aug.	213.1	64.2	148.9	86.3	24.5	23.4	40.4	283	0
Sept.	213.5	64.1	149.4	86.7	24.0	23.5	40.9	283	0
July 1963	221.2	66.3	154.9	90.4	24.7	23.3	42.7	283	0
Aug.	221.1	66.3	154.8	90.2	24.5	23.4	42.8	283	0
Sept.	221.8	66.4	155.4	90.5	24.5	23.4	43.2	283	0
July 1964	229.9	67.6	162.3	95.0	25.4	23.7	44.2	303	0
Aug.	230.6	67.5	163.1	95.3	25.5	23.5	44.5	303	0
Sept.	231.0	67.4	163.6	95.4	25.6	23.5	44.7	303	0
FEMALES									
June 1960	72.6	16.1	56.5	17.7	0.3	3.0	24.0	203	0
1961	72.3	17.3	55.0	15.9	0.3	3.0	23.9	203	0
1962	76.7	18.3	58.4	17.6	0.3	3.0	24.8	212	0
1963	80.9	19.2	61.7	18.4	0.3	3.0	26.1	212	0
1964	86.5	20.0	66.5	20.2	0.3	3.2	27.7	227	0
July 1962	r 76.5	18.4	r 58.1	17.6	0.3	3.0	24.5	212	0
Aug.	r 76.8	18.3	r 58.5	17.8	0.3	2.8	24.7	212	0
Sept.	77.1	18.3	58.8	17.8	0.3	2.9	24.9	212	0
July 1963	81.3	19.3	62.0	18.5	0.3	3.0	26.1	212	0
Aug.	81.3	19.3	62.0	18.6	0.3	3.0	26.0	212	0
Sept.	81.8	19.3	62.5	18.7	0.3	3.1	26.0	212	0
July 1964	86.8	20.2	66.6	20.3	0.3	3.2	27.5	227	0
Aug.	87.4	20.3	67.1	20.5	0.4	3.3	27.8	227	0
Sept.	88.2	20.4	67.8	20.6	0.4	3.3	28.1	227	0

(a) At last pay-day in month.

EXCLUDES rural workers, female private domestics, and defence forces.

(b) At end of month.

For meaning of symbol r, see page 3.

UNEMPLOYMENT

Period	Registered with Commonwealth Employment Service (a)				Unemployment Benefits		
	Persons (b)		Vacancies		Persons Admitted	Amount Paid	Persons on Benefit(c)
	Males	Females	Males	Females			
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	£	No.
<u>MONTHLY AVERAGES</u>	(d)	(d)	(d)	(d)			
Year: 1959	2,168	1,930	1,366	413	605	23,049	1,120
1960	2,123	2,001	1,643	456	601	19,325	875
1961	5,335	3,096	1,000	323	1,887	59,243	3,695
1962	3,752	3,028	1,452	388	1,138	59,652	2,153
1963	2,731	3,019	2,236	428	935	43,724	1,266
Quarter:							
Dec. 1961	5,197	2,894	947	394	1,395	79,614	3,695
Mar. 1962	5,092	3,437	1,080	342	1,551	68,721	2,599
June	3,949	3,131	1,187	326	1,425	68,096	3,057
Sept.	3,179	2,898	1,526	384	840	57,917	2,105
Dec. 1962	2,787	2,645	2,014	499	735	43,872	2,153
Mar. 1963	3,212	3,452	2,053	426	1,173	47,563	1,922
June	3,036	3,301	1,686	351	1,183	48,091	2,441
Sept.	2,591	2,799	2,018	359	872	48,357	1,694
Dec. 1963	2,084	2,523	3,188	577	515	30,884	1,266
Mar. 1964	2,248	3,185	3,597	554	838	24,621	1,151
June	1,710	2,711	3,303	360	776	21,317	1,267
Sept.	1,435	2,162	3,411	510	553	21,591	804
<u>MONTHLY TOTALS</u>	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)			
Sept. 1962	2,763	2,629	1,736	434	(e) 724	43,810	2,105
Oct.	2,515	2,451	1,921	447	676	51,924	2,035
Nov.	2,383	2,484	2,010	520	616	42,226	1,816
Sept. 1963	2,107	2,566	2,339	348	543	39,011	1,694
Oct.	2,054	2,504	2,921	455	526	35,212	1,469
Nov.	1,646	2,260	3,328	589	(e) 460	28,221	1,216
Sept. 1964	1,263	1,836	3,982	673	371	17,915	804
Oct.	3,890	1,819	4,436	828	(e) 398	14,879	696
Nov.	1,219	1,729	5,086	918	340	13,973	601

(a) Includes Northern Territory.

(b) Persons who claimed when registering that they were not employed and who were recorded as unplaced. Includes those referred to employers and those who may have obtained employment without notifying the Commonwealth Employment Service. Includes also recipients of unemployment benefit.

(c) Number at end of the period.

(d) Monthly averages are the averages of numbers registered at the end of each month in the period.

(e) Five week period.

BUILDING APPROVALS (METROPOLITAN AREA) (a)

Period	Number			Value (£'000)			
	New Houses & Flats (b)			New Houses & Flats	Other Buildings (c)	Alterations & Additions (c)	Total Building
	Private	Government	Total				
<u>MONTHLY AVERAGES</u>							
Year: 1959-60	418	95	513	1,695	967	378	3,040
1960-61	329	156	485	1,544	1,798	354	3,696
1961-62	308	68	376	1,237	1,084	391	2,712
1962-63	368	127	495	1,610	1,390	406	3,406
1963-64	441	29	470	1,612	1,750	461	3,823
Quarter:							
Dec. 1961	254	67	321	1,085	1,214	321	2,620
Mar. 1962	325	1	326	1,141	815	365	2,321
June	355	203	558	1,664	1,106	507	3,277
Sept.	390	320	710	2,098	1,693	427	4,218
Dec.	300	..	300	1,105	1,524	366	2,995
Mar. 1963	352	..	352	1,243	1,281	426	2,950
June	430	189	619	1,993	1,063	405	3,461
Sept.	457	..	457	1,644	957	441	3,042
Dec.	355	9	364	1,326	2,899	412	4,637
Mar. 1964	454	41	495	1,676	1,641	408	3,725
June	496	67	563	1,802	1,505	579	3,886
Sept.	569	219	788	2,665	900	769	4,334
<u>MONTHLY TOTALS</u>							
Sept. 1962	338	950	1,288	3,327	1,699	495	5,521
Oct.	345	..	345	1,255	3,110	418	4,783
Nov.	358	..	358	1,336	750	390	2,476
Sept. 1963	461	..	461	1,641	1,205	470	3,316
Oct.	450	..	450	1,668	3,548	447	5,663
Nov.	347	1	348	1,249	2,942	406	4,597
Sept. 1964	683	32	715	2,287	1,024	602	3,913
Oct.	528	1	529	1,854	3,470	404	5,728
Nov.	542	..	542	1,906	617	499	3,022

(a) Includes permits issued by local government authorities for private building and contracts let or expenditure authorized for government buildings.

(b) Number of individual living units.

(c) Additions of £5,000 or more to buildings other than dwellings are included with other new buildings.

BUILDING APPROVALS (WHOLE STATE) (a)

Period	Number			Value (£'000)			
	New Houses & Flats (b)			New Houses & Flats	Other New Buildings (c)	Alterations & Additions (c)	Total Building
	Private	Government	Total				
MONTHLY AVERAGES							
Year: 1959-60	581	196	777	2,504	1,391	533	4,428
1960-61	512	380	892	2,648	2,411	509	5,568
1961-62	571	140	711	2,331	1,816	552	4,699
1962-63	685	213	898	2,836	1,961	598	5,395
1963-64	805	340	1,145	3,775	2,699	689	7,163
Quarter:							
Dec. 1961	516	105	621	2,054	2,051	477	4,582
Mar. 1962	589	7	596	2,025	1,805	510	4,340
June	608	249	857	2,676	1,668	687	5,031
Sept.	720	548	1,268	3,553	2,362	599	6,514
Dec. 1963	579	32	611	2,134	2,101	543	4,778
Mar. 1963	635	22	657	2,242	1,820	630	4,692
June	808	248	1,056	3,417	1,558	620	5,595
Sept.	820	342	1,162	4,024	1,688	649	6,361
Dec. 1964	745	111	856	2,937	3,585	651	7,173
Mar. 1964	799	60	859	2,939	3,204	630	6,773
June	855	849	1,704	5,197	2,321	827	8,345
Sept.	909	451	1,360	4,700	1,590	1,013	7,303
MONTHLY TOTALS							
Sept. 1962	660	1,579	2,239	5,327	2,360	685	8,372
Oct.	620	75	695	2,407	3,856	597	6,860
Nov.	677	13	690	2,434	1,316	608	4,358
Sept. 1963	790	208	998	3,455	2,432	620	6,507
Oct.	802	33	835	2,947	4,306	722	7,975
Nov.	798	10	808	2,766	3,557	612	6,935
Sept. 1964	1,120	35	1,155	3,920	1,722	898	6,540
Oct.	849	62	911	3,237	4,240	661	8,138
Nov.	871	316	1,187	3,962	2,345	747	7,054

For footnotes see page 8.

BUILDINGS - COMMENCEMENTS AND COMPLETIONS (WHOLE STATE)

Period	Houses		Flats		Total Buildings (a)	
	Number (b)	Value	Number (b)	Value	Number	Value
		£'000		£'000		£'000
<u>MONTHLY AVERAGES</u>						
COMMENCEMENTS						
Year: 1959-60	742	2,482	68	172	883	4,015
1960-61	772	2,574	48	122	890	4,827
1961-62	727	2,428	50	139	843	4,312
1962-63	801	2,710	57	136	923	4,655
1963-64	964	3,404	116	281	1,149	6,241
Quarter:						
June 1962	825	2,724	62	203	963	4,616
Sept.	829	2,781	65	173	962	4,401
Dec.	815	2,692	39	103	908	4,216
Mar. 1963	767	2,621	60	136	899	5,036
June	793	2,745	63	132	922	4,967
Sept.	1,059	3,691	107	293	1,236	6,104
Dec.	893	3,165	70	164	1,032	5,703
Mar. 1964	953	3,338	125	297	1,146	6,843
June	950	3,424	160	370	1,181	6,312
Sept.	977	3,594	180	479	1,236	7,336
COMPLETIONS						
Year: 1959-60	748	2,473	50	116	871	3,970
1960-61	781	2,666	74	205	932	4,489
1961-62	761	2,557	49	115	876	4,360
1962-63	804	2,704	57	164	925	5,047
1963-64	874	3,049	82	202	1,022	4,929
Quarter:						
June 1962	863	2,838	48	112	969	4,840
Sept.	791	2,643	39	115	898	3,986
Dec.	827	2,765	66	212	957	6,365
Mar. 1963	738	2,527	55	130	849	4,438
June	860	2,882	69	198	998	5,398
Sept.	870	2,968	63	147	994	4,582
Dec.	972	3,356	85	218	1,134	5,524
Mar. 1964	756	2,678	76	201	891	4,126
June	899	3,194	106	242	1,068	5,485
Sept.	968	3,478	122	304	1,154	7,379

(a) Includes other new buildings and additions of £5,000 or more, but excludes alterations and other additions.

(b) Each dwelling unit of maisonettes and flats counted separately.

For meaning of symbol p, see page 3.

RAINFALL - AGRICULTURAL AREAS (a)

Period		Statistical Division						Whole State
		Central	Lower North	Upper North	South Eastern	West-ern	Murray Mallee	
		Inches						
<u>TOTALS FOR PERIOD</u>								
Year:	Mean (b)	17.97	16.50	14.00	23.58	13.89	12.61	15.71
	1960	20.49	20.56	19.92	27.30	17.35	14.96	18.94
	1961	14.13	15.37	13.50	18.08	11.15	12.86	13.45
	1962	15.53	13.63	10.83	23.85	12.01	11.36	13.59
	1963 p	19.89	17.97	15.31	20.38	15.23	15.67	17.19
Wheatgrowing Season (Apr.-Nov.)	Mean (b)	14.80	13.34	10.79	19.45	11.56	9.64	12.72
	1960	17.02	17.48	17.78	21.61	13.92	11.95	15.59
	1961	12.71	13.67	11.26	14.92	10.47	11.00	11.99
	1962	11.97	9.89	7.46	19.44	9.62	7.42	10.24
	1963 p	17.75	16.35	13.52	15.60	13.72	12.96	15.11
	1964 p	17.54	14.62	13.00	25.76	15.73	13.66	15.96
Month:	1963 p	2.10	1.35	1.19	0.36	2.23	1.49	1.74
	May p	3.40	3.24	3.11	3.07	2.62	3.06	3.05
	June p	3.46	3.32	3.08	2.72	2.49	2.76	2.96
	July p	3.50	3.90	2.68	3.36	3.51	1.90	3.24
	Aug. p	2.29	1.85	1.50	2.83	1.73	1.98	1.98
	Sept. p	1.32	0.81	0.73	2.40	0.54	0.71	0.91
	Oct. p	1.42	1.32	0.59	0.55	0.50	0.84	0.95
	Nov. p	0.26	0.56	0.64	0.31	0.10	0.22	0.28
	Apr. 1964 p	1.71	1.74	0.87	1.85	1.46	1.65	1.60
	May p	1.48	1.28	0.98	1.84	1.37	0.81	1.28
	June p	2.00	1.17	1.20	3.70	2.20	1.00	1.77
	July p	3.61	2.82	2.57	6.33	3.53	1.66	3.18
	Aug. p	1.27	1.89	2.21	2.61	1.08	1.48	1.49
	Sept. p	2.58	2.75	3.11	3.37	2.68	3.47	2.87
	Oct. p	2.25	1.77	1.39	2.79	1.38	1.61	1.77
	Nov. p	2.64	1.20	0.67	3.27	2.03	1.98	2.00

(a) Weighted averages calculated by using readings at selected stations and area under crop.

(b) 58 years, 1909-1962.

For meaning of symbol p, see page 3.

PRODUCTION - SELECTED COMMODITIES

Period	Butter (a)	Cheese (a)	Bacon and Ham (a) (b)	Confec- tionery	White Flour	Aerated Waters
	'000 Lb.	'000 Lb.	'000 Lb.	'000 Lb.	Tons	'000 Gal.
<u>MONTHLY AVERAGES</u>						
Year: 1959-60	1,156	2,040	553	488	11,975	804
1960-61	1,280	2,342	559	519	12,662	927
1961-62	1,386	2,736	560	512	14,017	898
1962-63	1,366	2,831	p 583	520	14,180	907
1963-64	1,382	p 2,830	p 614	p 508	p 14,189	p 950
Quarter:						
Dec. 1961	1,800	4,082	685	457	13,001	1,192
Mar. 1962	993	1,623	473	413	15,522	1,109
June	974	1,474	519	487	13,535	613
Sept.	1,601	3,734	p 557	601	14,689	677
Dec.	1,796	4,307	p 747	480	14,286	1,151
Mar. 1963	1,030	1,869	p 494	410	14,437	1,186
June	1,038	1,413	p 532	589	13,310	613
Sept.	1,668	p 3,478	p 575	p 636	p 14,211	p 659
Dec.	1,793	p 4,211	p 782	p 451	p 15,527	p 1,278
Mar. 1964	982	p 1,690	p 549	p 399	p 14,084	p 1,180
June	1,086	p 1,940	p 550	p 545	p 12,932	p 682
Sept.	1,699	p 4,032	p 616	p 559	p 14,202	p 695
<u>MONTHLY TOTALS</u>						
Sept. 1962	1,738	4,516	p 560	551	14,018	862
Oct.	2,099	4,954	p 614	576	16,580	908
Nov.	1,836	4,438	p 684	483	14,517	1,186
Sept. 1963	1,818	p 4,397	p 654	p 576	p 12,969	p 844
Oct.	2,092	p 5,041	p 629	p 437	p 16,680	p 1,186
Nov.	1,803	p 4,273	p 740	p 499	p 16,327	p 1,212
Sept. 1964	1,917	p 4,888	p 630	p 542	p 14,522	p 839
Oct.	2,192	p 5,346	p 653	p 486	p 13,334	p 921
Nov.			p 681	p 539	p 13,773	

(a) Factory production only.

(b) Finished weight.

For meaning of symbol p, see page 3.

PRODUCTION - SELECTED COMMODITIES

Period	Coal Tons	Iron Ore (a) '000 Tons	Electricity '000 kWh.	Clay Bricks (b) '000	Super- phosphate Tons	Sawn Timber (c) '000 Sup.Ft
<u>MONTHLY AVERAGES</u>						
Year: 1959-60	61,456	286.8	155,322	8,782	31,140	10,172
1960-61	83,788	306.6	158,146	8,603	32,883	8,222
1961-62	102,585	319.5	181,069	8,515	31,753	9,050
1962-63	122,166	302.6	194,596	10,284	36,977	9,197
1963-64	135,178	382.3	p 213,371	p 11,982	43,590	p 10,210(c)
Quarter:						
Dec. 1961	101,816	346.4	178,585	8,091	29,056	8,571
Mar. 1962	99,766	292.2	182,443	8,090	31,962	8,714
June	110,620	311.5	188,658	9,623	33,210	10,231
Sept.	134,712	288.2	203,610	10,374	33,053	10,598
Dec. 1963	118,586	278.2	187,389	10,364	31,593	8,861
Mar. 1963	115,005	323.0	183,466	9,948	41,616	7,639
June	120,359	321.1	203,917	10,448	41,644	9,690
Sept.	139,472	394.6	p 222,039	p 11,221	32,690	p 10,796(c)
Dec. 1964	134,357	375.8	p 197,846	p 12,452	37,712	p 10,287
Mar. 1964	133,131	393.0	p 204,447	p 11,447	46,706	p 8,612
June	133,751	365.7	p 229,153	p 12,806	57,253	p 11,145
Sept.	157,242		p 252,772	p 13,611	47,231	p 11,131
<u>MONTHLY TOTALS</u>						
Sept. 1962	124,026	n.a.	191,394	9,950	22,827	10,483
Oct.	128,336	n.a.	195,195	11,356	36,895	9,339
Nov.	119,896	n.a.	187,867	10,885	24,736	9,366
Sept. 1963	129,761	n.a.	p 200,508	p 11,716	38,065	p 10,686(c)
Oct.	151,243	n.a.	p 200,981	p 13,884	46,115	p 10,395
Nov.	132,232	n.a.	p 195,923	p 12,798	32,184	p 10,481
Sept. 1964	149,905	n.a.	p 234,813	p 14,247	52,144	p 12,291
Oct.	160,920	n.a.	p 224,048	pr 13,318	46,406	
Nov.		n.a.	p 217,497	p 13,909		

(a) Includes Jaspilite.

(b) Includes both standard and non-standard types.

(c) From Australian logs only. From July 1963 figures represent recovery of rough-sawn timber; earlier figures represent some rough-sawn and some further processed timber.

For meaning of symbols n.a., p, —, r, see page 3.

PRODUCTION - SELECTED COMMODITIES

Period	Paints (other than water) & Enamels	Water Paints (Emulsion type)	Fibrous Plaster Sheets	Electric Storage Hot Water Systems	Tiles - Cement and Terra- Cotta (a)	Bath Heaters (all kinds)	Cara- vans
	Gal.	Gal.	Sq. Yds	No.	'000	No.	No.
<u>MONTHLY AVERAGES</u>							
Year: 1959-60	92,316	14,597	94,218	650	881	743	101
1960-61	102,177	16,106	83,907	680	798	681	111
1961-62	98,565	22,124	90,302	680	(a) 1,027	652	68
1962-63	114,110	26,352	93,683	724	1,201	529	63
1963-64 p	138,561	26,678	94,517	924	1,405	495	73
Quarter:							
Dec. 1961	108,608	26,544	81,224	642	1,000	565	101
Mar. 1962	100,742	20,450	87,288	721	903	617	57
June	94,428	22,121	94,982	623	1,057	603	49
Sept.	111,673	24,686	102,111	735	1,141	670	55
Dec. 1963	117,598	27,902	91,008	716	1,174	542	85
Mar. 1963	114,748	25,090	85,243	714	1,197	427	53
June	112,421	27,731	96,370	729	1,290	476	59
Sept. p	135,988	24,153	100,038	857	1,393	657	66
Dec. p	153,049	35,266	84,510	873	1,365	450	96
Mar. 1964 p	126,184	21,316	90,070	877	1,231	402	68
June p	139,024	25,978	103,449	1,089	1,629	472	61
Sept. p	152,307	32,557	107,005	1,239	1,737	551	75
<u>MONTHLY TOTALS</u>							
Sept. 1962	114,197	23,913	93,456	637	1,092	559	61
Oct.	119,768	29,843	101,269	802	1,319	679	71
Nov.	134,920	30,442	101,305	843	1,148	564	95
Sept. 1963 p	129,051	25,004	91,396	810	1,346	606	74
Oct. p	153,043	33,439	93,218	897	1,568	514	84
Nov. p	159,979	42,345	97,759	976	1,391	503	101
Sept. 1964 p	172,016	42,507	96,076	1,251	1,834	531	86
Oct. p	125,309	33,748	97,598	1,260	1,456	481	94
Nov. p				1,419		417	75

(a) Figures prior to July 1961 exclude terra-cotta tiles.

For meaning of symbols p, —, see page 3.

PRODUCTION - SELECTED COMMODITIES

Period	Inner Spring Mattresses	Footwear (a)	Men's & Youths' Suit Coats (b)	Men's & Youths' Sports Trousers(c)	Meat (d)	
					Beef & Veal	Lamb & Mutton
	No.	'000 Pr.	No.	Pairs	Tons	Tons
<u>MONTHLY AVERAGES</u>						
Year: 1959-60	4,673	136.3	2,669	5,248	2,773	5,230
1960-61	4,613	141.7	(b) 2,757	8,193	2,221	4,354
1961-62	4,847	136.9	3,052	10,271	2,505	4,616
1962-63	5,188	133.4	3,226	10,372	3,035	4,910
1963-64	p 5,621	p 160.6	p 3,446	p 8,907	3,313	4,405
<u>Quarter:</u>						
Dec. 1961	4,911	129.4	2,972	12,585	2,569	5,401
Mar. 1962	4,838	122.5	2,695	8,732	2,539	4,337
June	4,983	149.2	3,210	9,659	2,650	4,170
Sept.	5,630	139.8	3,507	10,912	2,948	5,181
Dec. 1963	5,357	121.1	3,408	11,780	3,245	6,114
Mar. 1963	4,805	123.2	3,002	9,123	3,027	4,245
June	4,959	149.4	2,985	9,674	2,920	4,100
Sept.	p 5,333	p 164.9	p 3,695	p 9,702	3,000	4,220
Dec. 1964	p 6,177	p 150.3	p 3,781	p 10,401	3,370	5,178
Mar. 1964	p 5,067	p 137.6	p 3,002	p 6,341	3,310	3,988
June	p 5,908	p 189.3	p 3,308	p 9,185	3,573	4,236
Sept. p	6,878	178.3	3,897	9,810	3,073	5,203
<u>MONTHLY TOTALS</u>						
Sept. 1962	4,910	132.7	3,278	10,557	2,841	6,245
Oct.	4,933	142.5	3,738	13,820	3,508	8,350
Nov.	5,517	124.1	3,586	12,791	3,160	5,356
Sept. 1963	p 5,537	p 155.6	p 3,801	p 8,512	2,880	4,412
Oct.	p 5,194	p 174.8	p 4,087	p 13,425	3,589	6,733
Nov.	p 5,417	p 157.7	p 4,056	p 9,890	3,194	4,746
Sept. 1964 p	6,533	180.6	3,950	10,262	2,931	5,721
Oct. p	6,110	171.4	4,943	9,532	3,313	6,183
Nov. p		175.4			3,024	4,669

(a) Excludes sandals, goloshes, gum and other boots of rubber. Infants' soft-soled nursery footwear is included.

(b) Excludes coats for 3 piece suits prior to July 1960.

(c) Includes slacks and long school trousers, but excludes jeans.

(d) Bone-in weight.

For meaning of symbols p, —, see page 3.

EXPORTS - QUANTITY OF PRINCIPAL COMMODITIES

Period		Lamb	Wheat	Barley	Wool (a)	Lead (Pig)	Minerals (b)
		'000 Lb.	'000 Bush.	'000 Bush.	'000 Lb.	'000 Cwt	'000 Cwt
<u>MONTHLY AVERAGES</u>							
Year:	1959-60	1,012	930	1,142	13,122	202	500
	1960-61	840	1,993	1,869	12,738	211	640
	1961-62	455	2,512	2,064	15,436	327	691
	1962-63	1,278	1,543	573	15,125	281	893
	1963-64 p	736	4,018	1,121	r 15,990	281	874
<u>Quarter:</u>							
Dec.	1961	1,683	2,150	1,289	19,141	349	575
Mar.	1962	25	2,895	1,559	15,896	328	790
June		29	2,389	2,183	13,373	425	775
Sept.		165	992	134	13,625	278	845
Dec.		4,661	658	50	19,543	273	1,001
Mar.	1963	192	2,959	1,232	14,572	289	778
June		94	1,563	875	12,757	284	948
Sept.	p	199	2,301	429	13,641	312	679
Dec.	p	2,531	2,046	171	21,140	277	955
Mar.	1964 p	204	6,439	2,808	15,832	284	827
June	p	7	5,286	1,076	r 13,348	249	1,036
Sept.	p	180	869	260	r 12,599	264	957
<u>MONTHLY TOTALS</u>							
Aug.	1962	8	726	4	10,596	183	830
Sept.		442	689	29	14,155	378	848
Oct.		3,065	633	7	20,519	326	749
Aug.	1963 p	..	2,251	597	9,781	160	1,365
Sept.	p	508	1,901	3	12,813	397	104
Oct.	p	1,174	1,667	5	24,755	136	652
Aug.	1964 p	228	338	461	11,749	275	265
Sept.	p	255	429	203	9,816	248	1,365
Oct.	p	6,390	639	137	20,958	302	1,196

(a) Greasy plus scoured, tops, noils, and soft wool waste, converted to greasy equivalent.

(b) Mainly gypsum and concentrates and ores of copper, lead, and zinc.

For meaning of symbols p, r, ..., see page 3.

EXPORTS - VALUE OF PRINCIPAL COMMODITIES

Period	Total Exports	Lamb	Wheat	Barley	Wool	Lead (Pig)	Minerals (a)
				£'000			
<u>MONTHLY AVERAGES</u>							
Year: 1959-60	7,569	75	652	510	3,118	903	513
1960-61	8,273	57	1,356	801	2,680	875	697
1961-62	10,166	33	1,785	976	3,463	1,190	721
1962-63	8,873	107	1,129	290	3,475	920	938
1963-64 p	13,444	62	2,923	576	4,493	1,266	1,044
Quarter:							
Dec. 1961	10,281	120	1,503	533	4,308	1,320	615
Mar. 1962	10,204	2	2,081	745	3,453	1,157	638
June	10,151	2	1,753	1,172	2,997	1,478	819
Sept.	7,470	14	761	71	2,912	879	880
Dec. 1963	8,918	389	497	27	4,234	845	1,037
Mar. 1963	10,034	15	2,146	611	3,525	948	689
June	9,069	10	1,110	452	3,228	1,010	1,147
Sept. p	10,343	18	1,628	206	3,495	1,235	849
Dec. p	12,689	210	1,457	74	5,757	1,200	899
Mar. 1964 p	16,211	17	4,583	1,468	4,771	1,369	1,250
June p	14,534	1	4,025	557	3,949	1,258	r 1,177
Sept. p	10,438	16	693	143	3,252	1,551	1,328
<u>MONTHLY TOTALS</u>							
Aug. 1962	6,623	1	576	3	2,309	565	1,201
Sept.	7,107	37	534	16	2,980	1,155	328
Oct.	8,705	255	486	4	4,233	970	994
Aug. 1963 p	9,622	..	1,585	278	2,529	629	1,697
Sept. p	9,720	45	1,361	2	3,306	1,632	295
Oct. p	12,436	97	1,206	3	6,535	629	843
Aug. 1964 p	8,717	21	298	243	r 3,078	1,652	435
Sept. p	10,394	21	302	130	2,554	1,547	2,152
Oct. p	13,513	538	497	84	5,422	1,909	2,092

(a) Mainly concentrates and ores of copper, lead, and zinc.

For meaning of symbols p, r, .., see page 3.

IMPORTS - VALUE OF PRINCIPAL COMMODITIES

Period	Total Imports	Motor Vehicles & Parts	Machinery		Iron and Steel (b)	Textiles	Timber
			Electric Motors (a)	Other			
£'000							
MONTHLY AVERAGES							
Year: 1959-60	4,979	709	440	790	195	267	236
1960-61	5,949	728	413	927	574	305	300
1961-62	4,308	493	309	749	136	231	175
1962-63	5,826	1,203	437	864	207	271	215
1963-64 p	7,484	1,828	376	1,158	276	254	284
Quarter:							
Sept. 1961	4,118	360	374	686	112	226	153
Dec. 1961	3,495	116	256	561	91	170	127
Mar. 1962	4,486	606	332	756	135	259	201
June 1962	5,133	891	277	993	205	269	218
Sept. 1962	6,295	1,421	632	912	247	283	275
Dec. 1962	5,382	853	410	831	200	244	189
Mar. 1963	5,602	1,131	297	861	192	285	190
June 1963	6,025	1,405	409	851	191	271	208
Sept. 1963 p	6,931	1,536	485	952	231	288	304
Dec. 1963 p	7,285	1,685	352	973	290	210	252
Mar. 1964 p	7,428	1,613	308	r 1,415	306	257	256
June 1964 p	8,292	2,478	357	1,293	275	263	325
Sept. 1964 p	8,248	1,938	387	1,155	481	292	405
MONTHLY TOTALS							
Aug. 1962	8,128	2,808	594	991	211	306	362
Sept. 1962	5,495	720	815	753	258	271	286
Oct. 1962	6,818	1,417	641	789	184	299	172
Aug. 1963 p	7,458	2,482	475	975	189	268	241
Sept. 1963 p	7,281	977	541	1,067	300	263	412
Oct. 1963 p	7,437	1,567	208	800	357	274	268
Aug. 1964 p	r 7,654	950	432	1,102	560	333	228
Sept. 1964 p	8,816	2,469	351	1,345	474	229	493
Oct. 1964 p	7,892	1,416	355	957	617	249	220

(a) Dynamo electrical machinery and electrical appliances and equipment.
(b) Metal and semi-manufactures (basic shapes), except wire, but including structural iron and steel.

For meaning of symbols p, r, see page 3.

RETAIL SALES

(Revised Series comparable with 1961-62 Retail Census)

The figures below relate to retail sales of goods (as distinct from services, repairs, etc.) from fixed premises at which goods are normally sold by retail to the general public. Goods sold from hotels, garages, and service stations, are included, but those from establishments such as clubs and guesthouses are excluded. Figures for the year 1961-62 are derived from a Census, but other figures are estimates based on sample surveys.

Period	Food-stuffs (a)	Beer, Wine, & Spirits	Clothing, Footwear, etc.	Electrical Goods (b)	Other (c)(d)(e)	Total (Excl. Motor vehicles etc.) (d) (e)	Motor Vehicles, Parts, etc. (e) (f)
£ million							
<u>MONTHLY AVERAGES</u>							
Year: 1958-59	6.1	1.6	3.6	1.0	3.8	16.1	5.8
1959-60	6.6	1.8	3.9	1.8	4.1	18.2	6.7
1960-61	7.1	1.8	3.9	1.4	4.5	18.7	6.5
1961-62	7.2	2.0	4.0	1.3	4.4	18.9	6.0
1962-63 p	7.4	2.1	4.2	1.4	4.7	19.8	7.5
1963-64 p	7.9	2.2	4.5	1.6	5.1	21.3	8.3
<u>Quarter:</u>							
June 1961	7.1	1.7	4.2	1.2	4.2	18.4	5.9
Sept.	7.1	1.7	3.8	1.2	4.3	18.1	5.5
Dec.	7.5	2.2	4.4	1.4	5.1	20.6	6.0
Mar. 1962	7.1	2.1	3.3	1.2	4.2	17.9	6.1
June	7.0	1.9	4.3	1.2	4.4	18.8	6.3
Sept.	7.1	1.8	4.0	1.3	4.5	18.7	7.3
Dec.	7.6	2.3	4.6	1.7	5.4	21.6	7.9
Mar. 1963	7.3	2.2	3.5	1.4	4.4	18.8	7.3
June p	7.4	1.9	4.7	1.4	4.6	20.0	7.5
Sept. p	7.7	1.9	4.3	1.5	4.6	20.0	8.2
Dec. p	8.2	2.4	4.9	1.8	6.0	23.3	8.5
Mar. 1964 p	7.8	2.4	3.8	1.5	4.9	20.4	8.1
June p	8.0	2.1	5.1	1.6	4.9	21.7	8.4
Sept. p						22.0	

- (a) Includes groceries, butchers' meat, fresh fruit and vegetables, confectionery, soft drinks, icecream, pastry, cooked provisions, fish, etc., but excludes some delivered milk and bread.
- (b) Includes radios, television sets and accessories, musical instruments, domestic refrigerators, etc.
- (c) Includes tobacco, cigarettes, etc., newspapers, books and stationery, hardware, chemists' goods, jewellery, office equipment, etc.
- (d) Excludes basic building materials (e.g. timber, roofing tiles, bricks, cement, etc.) and builders' hardware and supplies (tools of trade, paint, etc.).
- (e) Excludes tractors, farm machinery, earth moving equipment, etc.
- (f) Includes new and used motor vehicles, and parts, petrol, etc.

For meaning of symbol p, see page 3.

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX - ADELAIDE

(Base of each group 1952-53=100)

Period	Food	Clothing and Drapery	Housing	Household Supplies & Equipment	Miscell- aneous	All Groups
Year: 1952-53	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1953-54	103.5	101.4	109.9	100.6	99.1	102.3
1954-55	106.1	101.7	113.0	100.4	99.1	103.5
1955-56	110.9	101.6	120.8	100.1	104.1	106.9
1956-57	114.7	101.7	129.2	103.2	111.6	111.1
1957-58	111.8	104.4	133.9	104.0	114.2	111.9
1958-59	117.5	105.4	137.1	105.0	114.6	114.5
1959-60	123.1	106.8	140.0	106.0	118.8	118.0
1960-61	132.2	109.5	148.7	106.1	121.4	122.9
1961-62	127.6	111.2	153.5	106.7	121.9	122.5
1962-63	126.0	111.7	154.9	106.2	121.6	122.1
1963-64	129.1	112.8	158.5	104.4	122.3	123.5
Quarter:						
Dec. 1959	120.2	106.5	139.5	105.9	118.2	116.9
Mar. 1960	123.7	107.0	140.3	106.2	118.8	118.3
June	128.1	108.1	141.3	106.0	121.0	120.6
Sept.	130.4	108.3	143.4	106.0	121.2	121.5
Dec.	130.6	109.5	149.1	105.6	121.2	122.4
Mar. 1961	132.8	109.7	151.1	105.9	121.6	123.4
June	134.8	110.6	151.3	106.7	121.4	124.3
Sept.	131.3	110.6	152.0	107.1	122.3	123.5
Dec.	127.2	111.2	153.7	106.5	122.2	122.5
Mar. 1962	126.3	111.4	154.2	106.5	121.5	122.1
June	125.7	111.5	153.9	106.7	121.6	121.9
Sept.	125.6	111.5	154.3	106.8	121.5	121.9
Dec.	125.7	111.5	154.7	106.0	121.5	121.9
Mar. 1963	125.7	111.6	154.7	105.9	121.6	121.9
June	126.8	112.1	156.0	106.0	121.7	122.5
Sept.	128.0	112.4	156.5	104.0	122.2	122.8
Dec.	127.0	112.5	158.2	104.3	121.8	122.7
Mar. 1964	129.1	112.6	158.9	104.5	122.4	123.5
June	132.4	113.6	160.3	104.8	122.9	125.1
Sept.	133.6	113.8	161.9	104.7	128.0	126.9

TRANSPORT AND COMMUNICATION

Period		New Motor Vehicles Registered				New Licences Issued		Telephone Services Connected
		Total (a)	Cars	Station Wagons	Trucks & Utilities	Radio	Tele-vision	
MONTHLY AVERAGES		Number of New Registrations				Number		
Year:	1959	2,139	1,253	272	396	1,589	(b) 4,258	1,173
	1960	2,547	1,574	355	363	1,464	6,575	1,348
	1961	1,822	1,034	275	312	1,242	2,598	1,270
	1962	2,585	1,635	433	344	1,399	2,246	1,815
	1963	3,150	1,967	582	427	1,984	2,314	2,116
Quarter:								
Dec.	1961	1,929	1,138	307	315	1,167	1,898	1,334
Mar.	1962	2,123	1,234	355	332	1,472	3,220	1,316
June		2,390	1,497	381	338	1,258	2,148	1,999
Sept.		2,769	1,836	444	335	1,682	2,018	2,093
Dec.		3,060	1,974	554	373	1,183	1,596	1,852
Mar.	1963	2,695	1,629	515	387	1,902	1,985	1,822
June		2,817	1,710	509	418	1,740	2,432	2,148
Sept.		3,492	2,281	597	436	2,727	3,067	2,234
Dec.		3,596	2,248	706	469	1,565	1,771	2,258
Mar.	1964	3,044	1,917	587	396	1,353	1,759	2,207
June		3,592	2,157	680	543	1,882	2,338	2,534
Sept.		3,800	2,407	696	483	1,967	2,909	2,500
MONTHLY TOTALS								
Sept.	1962	2,678	1,779	456	303	1,684	1,737	1,873
Oct.		2,995	1,885	558	386	1,376	1,780	2,115
Nov.		3,420	2,213	621	432	1,356	1,650	1,706
Sept.	1963	3,662	2,343	671	469	1,689	2,134	1,931
Oct.		3,483	2,233	627	458	1,345	1,694	2,502
Nov.		3,755	2,286	753	512	2,245	2,126	2,365
Sept.	1964	3,830	2,418	673	519	2,063	3,643	2,618
Oct.		3,650	2,218	637	575	1,690	1,751	2,045
Nov.		3,310	2,000	637	452			
AT 31ST OCTOBER		Total Vehicles on Register (c)				Total (d)		
	1962	328,985	238,121	73,980	251,224	156,267	156,524	
	1963	345,906	255,991	74,367	259,707	176,167	165,618	
	1964	366,592 (e)	276,956 (e)	75,287 (e)	263,663	197,663	176,893	

(a) Includes other types of vehicles, e.g. buses, motor cycles.

(b) Average from May 1959 only.

(c) Based on figures supplied by Registrar of Motor Vehicles.

(d) Total existing licences and telephone services includes Northern Territory (at 30th June 1964, radio licences 2,693, telephone services 3,134).

(e) Estimated.

STATE FINANCE - CONSOLIDATED REVENUE ACCOUNT

Period	Receipts			Payments			
	Total (inc. other)	Cwlth Grants	Business Under- takings	Total (inc. other)	Social Services	Debt Charges	Business Under- takings
£'000							
<u>MONTHLY AVERAGES</u>							
Year: 1959-60	6,690	2,487	2,099	6,716	2,182	1,494	1,680
1960-61	7,190	2,619	2,294	7,091	2,441	1,606	1,653
1961-62	7,767	2,908	2,379	7,725	2,805	1,778	1,768
1962-63	8,132	3,124	2,405	8,108	3,030	1,895	1,736
1963-64	8,792	3,319	2,621	8,657	3,414	2,009	1,731
Quarter:							
Dec. 1961	7,560	2,272	2,926	7,784	2,708	1,746	1,731
Mar. 1962	7,420	2,277	2,405	7,433	2,780	1,575	1,775
June	9,752	4,812	2,041	8,978	3,173	2,372	1,780
Sept.	6,342	2,495	1,859	6,925	2,751	1,479	1,732
Dec. 1963	8,367	2,478	3,349	8,188	2,954	1,920	1,696
Mar. 1963	7,763	2,579	2,397	7,647	3,027	1,561	1,723
June	10,056	4,943	2,016	9,672	3,387	2,622	1,795
Sept.	6,909	2,716	2,060	7,495	2,983	1,697	1,760
Dec. 1964	9,056	2,711	3,465	8,760	3,302	1,928	1,716
Mar. 1964	8,373	2,713	2,660	8,371	3,505	1,796	1,673
June	10,829	5,137	2,299	10,000	3,866	2,617	1,774
Sept.	7,258	2,659	2,050	8,288	3,543	1,853	1,775
<u>MONTHLY TOTALS</u>							
Sept. 1962	6,160	2,495	1,867	6,336	2,558	1,238	1,652
Oct.	8,556	2,495	4,150	10,071	3,088	2,957	1,692
Nov.	8,528	2,495	3,262	8,027	3,074	1,820	1,770
Sept. 1963	7,916	3,177	2,438	6,730	2,768	1,382	1,649
Oct.	8,104	2,715	3,040	8,861	3,533	2,379	1,795
Nov.	9,606	2,716	4,652	9,949	2,943	2,314	1,699
Sept. 1964	7,559	2,659	2,559	7,762	3,597	1,334	1,773
Oct.	9,665	2,659	4,570	10,582	3,818	2,512	1,729
Nov.	9,722	2,658	3,466	9,044	3,179	2,556	1,773

REAL ESTATE AND BANKING

Period	Real Estate Mortgages		Property Transferred (a)	Savings Banks Balance of Deposits	Cheque Paying Banks		
	Loaned	Dis-charged			Balance of Deposits (b)	Balance of Advances (b)	Debits to Clients' Accounts (c)
<u>MONTHLY AVERAGES</u>				£'000			
Year: 1959-60	5,181	2,116	8,308	161,944	135,127	68,170	53,467
1960-61	6,867	2,351	8,595	164,725	131,438	76,948	58,044
1961-62	5,711	2,491	7,510	171,719	138,716	76,273	58,259
1962-63	7,833	3,116	8,752	194,518	142,709	87,877	65,896
1963-64	8,629	3,880	11,098	222,528	155,604	96,625	77,388
Quarter:							
June 1962	6,513	3,148	8,454	175,421	140,748	80,754	62,538
Sept.	7,554	3,061	8,608	185,927	135,945	84,939	62,098
Dec.	6,805	3,042	8,286	191,986	139,318	88,312	66,292
Mar. 1963	8,774	3,063	8,636	197,335	149,867	87,707	67,794
June	8,197	3,298	9,479	202,823	145,446	90,581	67,429
Sept.	9,181	3,650	10,346	212,694	142,760	93,747	68,883
Dec.	5,789	3,306	10,528	218,419	149,911	97,837	80,041
Mar. 1964	9,748	4,100	10,898	226,352	165,066	95,104	81,262
June	9,799	4,463	12,619	232,646	164,242	99,908	79,572
Sept.	9,579	4,259	12,041	243,112	163,510	106,302	81,289
<u>MONTHLY TOTALS</u>							
Sept. 1962	8,709	2,690	8,157	187,871	135,719	85,782	62,027
Oct.	8,055	3,356	8,380	190,858	138,802	87,922	65,116
Nov.	7,102	2,950	9,224	192,580	138,560	88,284	64,831
Sept. 1963	8,739	3,058	9,309	213,844	143,199	95,066	69,254
Oct.	7,078	3,465	11,109	216,902	147,002	97,009	76,512
Nov.	5,454	3,540	10,478	218,369	149,667	98,106	78,338
Sept. 1964	10,563	4,275	11,590	245,537	165,773	107,668	80,771
Oct.	7,980	3,793	10,988	247,382	169,272	112,004	78,417
Nov.	8,804	3,514	11,431				

(a) Includes sales and gifts of real and personal property, but excludes sales of shares and securities, devises by will, conveyances by which no beneficial interest passes, and gifts for religious and education purposes. The value of transfers to ex-servicemen is reduced by tax free exemptions.

(b) Average of balances at close of business on Wednesdays during the period. Banks are exempted from submitting returns for the 4th Wednesday in December of each year.

(c) Average of debits during weeks ending on Wednesdays in the period. Includes Rural Credits Department of the Reserve Bank and the Commonwealth Development Bank.

INSTALMENT CREDIT FOR RETAIL SALES (a)

(Financed by retail businesses and non-retail finance businesses)

Period	Hire Purchase				Hire Purchase & Other Instalment Credit	
	Agreements Made During Period			Balances out-standing (d)	Amount Financed (c)	Balances Outstanding (d)
	Number	Value of Goods (b)	Amount Financed (c)			
MONTHLY AVERAGES	'000	£ million				
Year: 1958-59	17.9	3.5	2.4	37.1	2.7	39.8
1959-60	20.1	4.6	3.3	50.9	3.8	56.8
1960-61	15.1	3.8	2.7	51.4	3.4	61.2
1961-62	9.7	2.7	1.8	42.9	2.7	55.4
1962-63	10.8	3.2	2.2	42.2	3.1	57.6
1963-64	11.5	3.5	2.4	43.8	3.4	61.0
Quarter:						
June 1960	18.8	4.8	3.4	50.9	4.1	56.8
Sept.	18.6	4.9	3.5	54.1	4.3	61.6
Dec.	19.0	4.9	3.4	57.5	4.3	66.4
Mar. 1961	14.2	3.1	2.2	55.0	2.7	64.2
June	8.6	2.4	1.6	51.4	2.3	61.2
Sept.	9.0	2.3	1.6	48.2	2.4	58.2
Dec.	10.2	2.8	1.9	46.6	2.9	57.8
Mar. 1962	9.8	2.7	1.8	44.3	2.6	56.0
June	9.9	3.0	2.0	42.9	2.9	55.4
Sept.	10.5	3.2	2.1	42.5	3.1	55.8
Dec.	11.6	3.4	2.3	42.8	3.3	57.3
Mar. 1963	10.6	3.2	2.1	42.2	3.0	57.1
June	10.4	3.1	2.1	42.2	3.1	57.6
Sept.	11.6	3.6	2.4	43.3	3.5	59.1
Dec.	12.3	3.7	2.5	44.6	3.6	61.3
Mar. 1964	r 10.8	3.3	2.2	44.0	3.2	60.7
June	11.2	3.3	2.3	43.8	3.4	61.0

NOTE: These statistics include all forms of financing the retail sales of goods where repayments are made by regular pre-determined instalments; they do not include the financing of lay-bys, sales of land and buildings, property improvements, repair work, travel, or rental and leasing schemes.

- (a) Includes Northern Territory.
- (b) Value at cash or list price (excluding hiring charges etc.).
- (c) Excludes hiring charges etc.
- (d) At end of period; includes hiring charges etc.

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